

Public Notice of an Air Pollution Permit Application Review

Facility Description.

Smart Sand Inc, located at 29499 US HWY 12, Oakdale, Monroe County, Wisconsin, FID 642078030, submitted to the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) a permit application, including plans and specifications for the construction of a fluid bed dryer, a dry plant, a wet plant and the modification of the facility to support the increase in production capacity.

Air pollution construction permit no. 14-POY-187.

Application Review.

DNR has made a preliminary determination that the application meets state and federal air pollution control requirements and that the permit should be approved. You can review the permit application, the DNR's analysis and draft permit prepared by the DNR at the Department of Natural Resources Bureau of Air Management Headquarters, Seventh Floor, 101 South Webster Street, Madison, Wisconsin, 53703; West Central Region Air Program, LaCrosse Area Office, 3550 Mormon Coulee Road, La Crosse, WI 54601, tel. (608) 785-9170; or contact Paul Yeung at (608) 266-0672 or by e-mail at paul.yeung@wisconsin.gov. This information is also available for downloading from the Internet at http://dnr.wi.gov/cias/am/amexternal/AM_PermitTrackingSearch.aspx.

The department has made the determination under ch. NR 150, Wis. Adm. Code, that this type of proposal normally does not have the potential to cause significant adverse environmental or secondary effects. This is a preliminary determination and does not constitute a final approval from the Air Management Program or any other DNR sections which may also require a review of the project.

Public Comments.

Interested persons wishing to submit written comments on the application or DNR's review of it or wishing to request a public hearing should do so within 30 days of publication of this notice. Posting and Public Comment Deadline dates can also be found on "Air permit public notices" web page located at http://dnr.wi.gov/cias/am/amexternal/public_notices.aspx. Comments or request for hearing should be sent to:

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, Bureau of Air Management, Box 7921, Madison, WI 53703. Attn.: Paul Yeung.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to ss. 285.13(1) and 285.61(7), Wis. Stats., DNR will hold a public hearing at the request of the permit applicant to receive public comments on the air pollution control permit application submitted by Smart Sand Inc.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the public hearing will be held:

On Wednesday, June 24, 2015 at 2:00 pm
Town Hall Conference Room
Oakdale Town Hall
228 Ballpark Drive
Oakdale, WI 54649

All comments received by the DNR at the public hearing, and prior to the close of the comment period, will be considered prior to making a final decision regarding the proposed project. After the close of the public comment period, a final decision will be made on whether to issue or deny the air pollution control permit. Information on the public commenting and hearing process is available at <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/AirPermits/Process.html>.

Reasonable accommodation, including the provision of informational material in an alternative format, will be provided for qualified individuals with disabilities upon request.

STATE OF WISCONSIN
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
For the Secretary

By /s/ Richard Wulk
Richard Wulk, Supervisor
West Central Region Air Program